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Adding Tom as well. Thanks.

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Yes, please add to the reg agenda for tomorrow. Copying Steve for his awareness.

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Hi Carrie,

I would like to raise the question of NHPA consultation on our Florida package at Reg Review tomorrow, if that's not a problem.

Florida has received a comment on its rule from the Seminole Tribe stating that if EPA has discretion to consult for ESA purposes on its program approval, it also has discretion to consult under the NHPA. Tod and I just had a call with R4 ORC staff, where Tod provided very helpful input (as always) which Ex. 5 AC/DP

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Please let me know what you think. Thank you!

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